# **Hingham Primary School**



# **Summary of Catch-Up Strategy**

School information	School information							
School	Hingham Primary School							
Academic Year	2020-21	Catch-Up Funding Received 2020-21	£12,240 (Oct 2020 census inc. reception)					
Total number of pupils	153	% Disadvantaged Pupils	25% (FSM/PP/S)					

## **Contextual Information (if any)**

Children returned back to school having had a new block built during the period of School Closure. Children had not seen this block or the removal of the old buildings. This added to the challenges of transition and the site looks very different as well as moving classes and changing teachers.

Our higher than average SEND proportion are being evaluated alongside the learners without SEND. Where there is provision in place for those children with additional needs they may not need additional support through this Catch Up strategy due to the interventions already in place.

Sun	nmar	y of Key Priorities Based on EEF research and DfE expectations for allocation of spending
Α.		Priority 1: Targeted support (including small group and 1:1 tuition) for disadvantaged pupils.
В.		Priority 2: Targeted support (including small group and 1:1 tuition) for all pupils who have fallen behind.
C.		Priority 3: Investment in IT based solutions to support priorities 1 and 2, including building a sustainable approach to supporting pupils both in school and out of school.

Summa	Summary of Expected Outcomes						
A.	By the end of Summer 2021, disadvantaged pupils will be closely in line with non-disadvantaged pupils as evidenced by case studies, assessment data and pupil books.						
В.	By the end of Summer 2021, those pupils who were identified as falling behind at baseline (October 2020), or over the course of the year, will have caught up in the core subjects as evidenced by assessment data and pupil books.						
C.	By end of autumn term, IT based solutions will be in place to support A and B.						

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## STRAND 1: TEACHING AND WHOLE SCHOOL STRATEGIES

Element of Strand	Action/Strategy	Which pupils have been targeted for this strategy? Who will benefit?	Expected Impact	Staff lead	Monitoring: When and how will you evaluate impact?	Cost (School Budget)	Cost (National Funding)
Effective Diagnostic Assessment	Assessments carried out in Autumn term1. These include:  NFER from end of previous year  Y6 SATs from previous years  Phonics screening (individual sounds and ability to blend)  Salford reading tests  Age appropriate assessment through observation based on Year group  Use of progress reports to identify gaps/disadvantage/ challenges.  Use of Progress meetings to hold staff to account for the progress of pupils and to identify further need.	All pupils Pupil Premium	Teachers to use the information gathered in the first half term to identify children needing additional support.  Gaps in learning will be addressed through whole class and small group intervention (book looks/data/progress meetings)  By end of summer term, children will make good progress from their starting points	VN	Moderation in core subjects     Half termly teacher assessment data analysis     Termly Pupil progress meetings      Lesson drop ins and observations (COVID allowing)     Book looks (COVID allowing)		£750 for staff cover to enable progress meetings throughout the year

- We have used a range of assessments tools throughout the year to enable us to monitor progress.
- At each point teachers have used this information to determine next steps in terms of teaching in class, small group support in class, additional Catch up/Keep up work with class based staff or intervention from Miss Gooch as Catch up teacher.
- Progress documents and discussions have been used to identify specific children who have got back on track, have needed further support or have been identified as not making progress despite intervention and therefore being looked at for special educational needs.
- Significant majority have made good progress from their starting points although some children have needed a lot of support to get back to where they were. This is particularly the case for children who struggled to participate in the remote learning in Spring 2020. For some this was also linked to wellbeing and settling back into school routines.

Support for Remote Learning - T and L	Seek staff, pupils and parents' views to develop a whole school Remote Learning Policy. Remote learning policy shared with all stakeholders and regularly reviewed.  Develop understanding of how to support those without access to technology.	All pupils	In the event of local, national or group lockdown, all pupils will have remote learning provided which is in line with the school curriculum.	VN with all teachers	Pupil participation and engagement during lockdown recorded by teaching staff and TAs.	Teams already purchased through MS Office licence	Teams training is funded as additional to Catch Up Funding if needed.
	Develop use of Teaching assistants role in the event of a further lockdown.		SEN/Vulnerable pupils supported by TAs				

- Remote learning has been in place and refined throughout the last 16 months.
- In January 2021 lockdown, remote provision consisted of live lessons via TEAMs and daily contact involving both the children at home and the Critical Worker children in school. This meant that all children received the same curriculum and we were able to more fully respond to the children's learning in our next steps.
- Since re-opening, children who have needed to isolate have continued with learning through resources sent via parentmail and where possible links on TEAMs.
- We have only had one class isolating thus far and they have had full sessions through TEAMs.
- When we have had teachers self-isolating/shielding they have taught the class via TEAMs from home with staff supervising the children in school.
- Engagement has been high. Where children have not accessed we have attempted to support via alternatives e.g. paper packs etc
- Children who did not have access to devices were provided with a device through the DfE scheme. These have been recently re-issued to those who

High quality teaching for all and a focus on professional development	Performance appraisal and drop ins/lesson observations to identify individual strengths and areas to develop within teaching and learning. Develop professional learning community with research and best practice at the heart of developing teaching and learning across the school.  Whole staff develop an effective Teaching and Learning Policy to incorporate effective remote learning.  Develop whole school professional	All pupils	Lesson observations, books looks and drop ins demonstrate clarity of approach in all classrooms.  Evaluation of home learning also demonstrate consistent standards and high expectations	Regular:      Lesson drop ins and observations     Book looks (COVID allowing)  Parental/pupil feedback regarding home learning experience	£250
	development programme based on high quality components of teaching and learning for all (explicit instruction, scaffolding, flexible grouping and cognitive and metacognitive strategies).  Staff training on assessment throughout school year and developing whole school updated Feedback Policy.				

- Appraisals and mid-year reviews for teachers
- Remote lessons monitored by school staff and governors
- Phonics training has taken place through the phonic hub
- We have updated the feedback policy and carried out staff meetings supporting teaching and learning across the year with a particular focus on Remote learning.
- Parental feedback around remote learning and the return to school was extremely positive.
- Further work on teaching "non-negotiables" will be discussed in the September staff meeting when we reflect on vision, ethos and curriculum.

Cost - Sub-totals	£1000	

STRAND 2: TAR	GETED SUPPORT						
Element of Strand (eg, Interventions)	Action/Strategy	Which pupils have been targeted for this strategy?	Expected Impact	Staff lead	Monitoring: When and how will you evaluate impact?	Cost (School Budget)	Cost (National Funding)
High quality small group tuition	Assessments used to identify children who are at risk of falling behind in reading, writing, SPAG or maths.  Teacher to organise learning activities that enable them to take small groups with TA with main body of the class for tuition.  Use of additional teacher for 2 days a week to coordinate and teach Catch up individual and small group sessions	Pupils who are falling behind  Pupil premium and those who are identified as falling behind	By the end of summer term, selected pupils to be assessed as Expected (or above).  Pupil premium children to have made good progress from their starting points.		Termly:		£5000 for Teacher

- Pupils were identified early in the September term and then again on return after March 2021. Assessments, books and observations were uses to support the assessment.
- Termly assessment data has demonstrated those making good progress and highlighted those who have not made the expected progress for further investigation (e.g. SEN).
- Miss Gooch has recorded the impact of her work through case studies including pupil voice and has combined with NFER/phonics screening etc.
- What has worked particularly well has been the clear and specific targets set by teachers detail is helpful and means that the intervention can be specific and very clearly targeted on need. What has worked less well has been when the "wrong children" are chosen who have a need greater than just catch up due to Covid school closure impact.
- Miss Gooch has reviewed progress alongside the teacher evaluating whether the learning has stuck and is evident in the classroom.
- A number of pupil voice quotes suggest an improvement in confidence and a specific piece of learning e.g. a mathematical method

High quality TA targeted support and professional development – KS2	TAs to deliver high quality targeted support to small groups of children in core curriculum areas.  Ensure TAs are effectively deployed for maximum impact to pupils.  Develop approach to ensure teacher and TA feedback on groups learning and progress.	All pupils Pupil Premium	Gaps in learning will be addressed through whole class and small group intervention.  These will have flexible groupings, be short term and high impact.  By end of summer term, the majority children will make progress and be assessed as working at expected standard (or above) in core subjects		Termly:		£2500 for one additional TA support
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- Teaching assistants have been deployed throughout remote provision and in school learning to support those who need additional support to meet the age related expectations.
- Due to restrictions TAs have needed to work in small bubbles of children carrying out a range of responsive sessions planned and led by the teacher.
- The majority of children are making progress and there is significant improvement since starting points in September 2020 to July 2021.
- Further work around achievement continues to support children in class and in small groups where appropriate.

High quality TA cargeted support – phonics/early reading – KS1	High quality phonics teaching, including additional quick daily group sessions for those who need to catch up.  (Additional training coming through involvement with the Phonics Hub)  KS2 staff participate in training and will be able to support those in Y3+ that need additional phonics.	Targeted pupils in Year 1 and 2 based on teacher and phonics assessments.  Pupil premium children to be prioritised.	82% (national) pupils pass the Year 1 phonics screening.  82% (national) pupils pass the Year 2 recheck.  Year 3 – pupils rechecked on phonics screening internally.	Half termly: - Phonics check data analysis  End of Year: - Phonics assessment Year 1 and 2	£3000 for one additional day of TA support
<ul><li>TAs have care</li><li>83% of Year 1</li></ul>	so far ers and Sounds training through the Wried out significant support around ph I children have met the phonics thres I children have now met the phonics t	onics which has enabled hold.	children to Catch up and Keep up.		

school to pay 25%

• We have not used this provision so far but are awaiting further information about how it will also be used to fund local provision in the future. This may mean it can be used for part funding of the teacher for catch up.

Cost - Sub-totals	£10500

Programme

Element of Strand (eg, Access to technology)	Action/Strategy	Which pupils have been targeted for this strategy? Who will benefit?	Expected Impact	Staff lead	Monitoring: When and how will you evaluate impact?	Cost (School Budget)	Cost (National Funding)
Supporting pupils social, emotional and behavioural needs	Prioritise supporting pupils SEMH on the return to school  ELSA training  Membership of PSHE association  Further development of Pastoral role (See SIDP)	All pupils  Disadvantaged pupils	Pupils feel safe to be at school.  Where children are struggling they are identified and support put in place.  Impact of support is monitored and children then feel safe at school.		Pupil questionnaires Case studies tracking academic and social, emotional and mental health across year. Emotional tracking – assessments (SEMH assessment tool).  Case studies of individuals show children who require additional support accessing support provided.		£400 ELSA training

- Teachers have focused on PSHERE throughout the whole school year particularly around returning to school.
- Staff member trained and utilising the ELSA programme with a number of children
- ELSA trained Staff member is sharing expertise with TAs/Teachers more broadly
- Support for most children comes through teaching assistants
- Pupil questionnaires demonstrated that most children had someone within school that they could talk to.
- Close working with parents/carers of children who are struggling to ensure the best provision possible to support mental health and wellbeing

Communicating and supporting parents – sustaining parental	Develop a clear plan for communications with families across the academic year.	All pupils	Parents are engaged and feel they are communicated with effectively.	Parent questionnaires Parent testimonials	
engagement	Audit current communications (especially with less involved families) to assess what has worked well and what has not during the period of school closures and the planned return.  Reinforce simple, encouraging messages around sustainable				

Supporting accessing remote learning  Parent questionnaire to elicit who has access to online remote learning.  Develop a package of remote learning for all eventualities. Identify most vulnerable pupils and support with technology.  Pupils with limited technology  In the event of local, national or group lockdown, all pupils will have remote learning provided which is in line with the school curriculum.  Pupil participation and engagement during lockdown recorded by teaching staff and TAs.  Pupils with limited technology  Pupils with limited technology  In the event of local, national or group lockdown, all pupils will have remote learning provided which is in line with the school curriculum.					
remote learning who has access to online remote learning.  Develop a package of remote learning, including paper-based learning for all eventualities.  Identify most vulnerable pupils who has access to online remote technology or group lockdown, all pupils will have remote learning will have remote learning provided which is in line with the school curriculum.  Technology or group lockdown, all pupils will have remote learning provided which is in line with the school curriculum.  Technology or group lockdown, all pupils will have remote learning lockdown recorded by teaching staff and TAs.  Technology photocopying /additional books			l l		
	 who has access to online remote learning. Develop a package of remote learning, including paper-based learning for all eventualities.	1 '	or group lockdown, all pupils will have remote learning provided which is in line with	engagement during lockdown recorded by	photocopying /additional
	Provide bespoke virtual support sessions for parents to help their children at home via Teams "workshop sessions" or individual phone calls.				
sessions for parents to help their children at home via Teams "workshop sessions" or individual	home learning, routines and study tips. Also, remember to celebrate successes with parents.				

**Financial Summary** 

Total for strand 1	£1000
Total for strand 2	£10500
Total for strand 3	£740
Total budgeted cost for all strands	